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SALE BILLS. ENVELOPES. LETTER HEADS, BILL HEADS, INVITATIONS,

A THANKLESS POSITION.

Gift Under Present Confutto

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 7. -Gov. W. O.

Rains in the Mountains.

WILLIAMSBURG, Ky., Feb. 6.-Terrific

rains in the mountains resulted in the

streams being swollen beyond their

bounds. Washouts of all kinds are re-

ported, and the Cumberland river is

booming. Six inches of snow, which

fell two days ago, added to the floods,

A crew of railroad guards and bridge

and track repairers arrived Friday

night from Louisvilte to guard as

much as possible the bridges and

property of the Louisville & Nashvills

A Blessing to Bob Blanks

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 7 .- Smallpox

CALL AND SEE US.

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CURRENT TOPICS.

DERRY hat trust and a buggywhip trust are among the latest pro

MISS JENNIR LAUDERDALE Was elected state librarian by the Tennessee

legislature. PERSOLEUM drinking is the latest form of Parisiau inebriety brought to A BILL to make grave-robbing a fel-

ony has been introduced in the Tennessee senate. A BILL to create a railroad commis-

kansas senate. SOUTH DAKOTA has decided to adopt the South Carolina plan of dealing with

NATIVES of Ceylon believe the cocoa but tree will not grow out of the sound of the heman voice. DURWALD LELY says of all the coun-

tries in the world he has seen New Zealand is the most beautiful. STANLEY LANE POOLE, the author, has just been appointed professor of Arabia

in the University of Dublin. THE Kentucky monument at Chickamauga park will be dedicated early in May, but the exact date has not been

ADVICES from Alaska are that the government will next year lay out an all American mail route to the Yukon

GEORGE B. FOYLE, who travels for a Chicago silk bouse, was arrested at Davenport, Ia., on the charge of having seven wives.

BISHOP POTTER, of New York, has the reputation among reporters of being the hardest myn to interview in the Episcopal church.

In Paris, when a local shopkeeper advertises to sell at cost, he must keep his word or the government will com-Ir is said that Spain wishes to sell

the Carolines, though she will not consider any bids from the United States. Great Britain or Japan. boy, died of lock jaw at Cieveland, after

THE latest sensation of Paris is a young Swiss giant, Constantin by name. He is over eight feet tail, but

is so weak he can a arcely walk. A BILL has been introduced in the In diana senate to tax theaters in cities of over 100,000 inhabitants. The bill re-

VICTORIA, a lioness in Sanger's circus. near London, has given birth to six cubs. This is believed to be the largest number born at one time in captivity. The cubs have been named after Queen

Victoria's children. A commissio cradle and baby carriage has been patented, having the body

Is locked. A REMARKABLE find was made at Eltham, Kent, recently. A number of pigs were being slaughtered for the Christmas market, and in the stomach

ers, Miss McNaughton and Miss Atkin-£2,500 per year.

It has recently been decided by an English court that artificial limbs are s figh. It was urged that they con- beaviest losses. stituted a part of the body, just the same as a hand or foot, consequently their function has been limited.

A SIMPLE tester to ascertain the condition of eggs is formed of a wedgeshaped box of paper with a round hole in one sice, in which the egg is inserted, with an eye opening at the base of the box, through which the user looks on a reflecting plate to see the egg.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY's stewart, who name is Sinclair, is considered a most careful buyer. He served President Cleveland eight years, and Mr. Cleveland recommended him to Mr. Mo-Kinley. His salary, fixed by law and paid by the government, is \$1,800 a

Is an improved horse collar the facing is formed of a metal plate of sin-Har shape to those now in use, the back consisting of an inflatable tube, which is blown up to the desired hardness, adjusting itself to the shape of the animal's neck and easing the strain of

A RILL has been introduced in the California legislature making it a misdemeanor for any newspaper published in California to print any caricature of any resident of the state.

SENATOR GUNDERSON, of South Dakota, is preparing a joint resolution for a constitutional amendment, providing that in 1900 one-half the members of the legislature be elected for four years. Sanbow slipped during the perform-

ance of his feat of holding up a plane with the planist at a Liverpool theater, the result being the smashing of the pian. a week in bed for the pianist, but no parm to Sandow himself. An European statistician has discovered that only 55 per cent of the

blondes marry, while 79 per cent. of their brunette sisters engage in matri-

THERE are 17 different kinds of fish In the River Jordan, but there are no angling clubs out there, and the presence of fish has no tendency to cause any one to deviate from the truth.

Is four hours recently a Paris court granted 201 divorces, a little over a divorce a minute. All the parties received state assistance in their cases, se that their divorces cost them noth-

MORE FIGHTING.

Another Engagement Took Place at Manila Late Monday Afternoon and the Enemy Was Repulsed.

he Rebels Driven Back Ten Miles. The Loss of the Insurgents in All the E .gagements Will Reach Over 10,000 Men.

MANUA, Feb. 7.- 10:50 a. m.-Late and took the water works at Singalon. Four companies of the Nebraska regiment and a part of the Utah battery,

ne deal and three wounded. Dr. Young, formerly quartermaster ergeant in the 5d artillery, was wound. wounded, captured and brutally murdered and his body, when recovered, was found to have been horribly mutilated. The Filipinos were driven back. hurst, wounded in tubes: Company D, retiring in bad order and carrying Private C. D. White, missing, suppossion has been introduced in the Ar- with them the valves and heads of the ed drowned; Company I, Private Elmer steam chest and cylinder of the pump-

ing machinery.

Gen. McArthur's division advanced usurgents have been driven 10 miles.

place the Filipino losses up to date at Stevens, wounded in right thigh; Comtaken prisoners.

insurgents. Col. William C. Smith, of the 1st Ten- slight wound in the neck.

fell from his horse. ered in the highest towers to watch slight.

the streets were almost deserted. The Minnesota troops, acting as police, scarched every native and arrested

The Americans are determined not quires a tax of \$20 on every theatrical to give the Filipinos a chance to re-

The official list of dead and wounded tered to obtain a reliable list except ties by brigades, he appears to have from headonarters.

portion suspended on pivots at the Hollo and four rebel officers were ar-front and rear of the frame, with a rested here Monday after boarding bulletin along with the wounded. The locking attachment for the wheels and the steamer Uranus. Many suspects eradle, which unlocks one as the other have been arrested in various parts of dead, making, in addition to the prethe city.

occurred during the engagement. The day. Washingtons and Idahos and Compan- Washington, Feb. 7.-Naval officers of one of them a pearl of great value les K and M of the Cali- are satisfied that the scene of the inwas discovered, in an excellent state of fornians made charges across surgent attack is transferred from the rice fields between Paco and the outposts to the city itself. They Or the young women who accom- Santana in the face of a terrifice fusi- say that Dewey has 21 vessels, from panied the peace commissioners to lade. The ground Monday over which which he can land 1,500 seasoned Paris as stenographers and typewrit- they passed was covered with dead and riflemen if Gen. Otis needs them wounded natives. The former are He can also land rapid-fire guns and the government to women, the sum of being buried in groups of five or six Gatlings and Maxims, with their about where they lay and the latter are well-drilled crews. His smaller gunbeing brought to the hospital. It was boats can ascend the Pasig river and at this stage of fighting, and at Caloo- penetrate the insurgent lines. The their resignations to Gen. Henry on we pens when advantageously used in | can, that the Filipinos suffered their | exchange of the Boston and Baltimore

In the last line 12 men were killed before the rebels retired.

Both sides cheered frequently during MAIL ROBBERS ARRESTED. the engagement. The American "hurrahs" were almost invariably met by derisive "vivas." Among the native the Ygorotes were especially notice able for their bravery, about 700 of these naked savages facing artillery fire with their bows and arrows.

The scene at Manila when the alarm was given on Saturday night was wildly exciting. The American soldiers in the theaters and at the circus were called out, the performances were stopped, Filipinos scurried everywhere and the rattle of musketry and the booming of cannon outside the city was plainly heard. The residents of the outskirts of Manila flocked into the walled city with their armes full of articles. All the carriages disappeared as if by magic, the street cars were stopped, the telegraph lines were cut and the soldiers hurriedly but silently marched out of the city to the stations assigned to them. The stores were closed almost instantly; foreign flags were to be seen flying from many windows and a number of white rags were hung out from Fili-

pino huts and houses. MANILA, Feb. 7.-The rebel losses are estimated at 4,000 men. American loss, 40 killed and 150 wounded, according to the latest reports. The number lips grew together until now they will of American troops engaged was 13,-000, while the Filipino forces numbered child is almost starved. An operation

It is believed that this cablegram left Manila over 12 hours after any that has been heretofore published, and officials understand from it that the in- the census bill under suspension of the surgents have again attacked Manila rules. The bill passed by a vote of 147 in force and are pursuing an aggressive 10 42. policy, having brought up their forces from behind. Nobody at the depart- TALIMADOR, O., Feb. 7,-Mrs. Phoebe ment, however, feels any alarm over it. Porter, aged 26 years, is dead,

list of the casualties at Manils during the fighting Saturday night and Sunday began to arrive at the war department just after noon. It follows: MASHA, Feb. 7. - Adjutant General,

Washington: Following casualties in

1st brigade, 1st division: Tenth Pennsylvania-Maj. E. Briere, flesh wound, arm, slight; Lieut. Altert J. Buttermore, flesh wound, slight, Company II; Sergt. Joseph Sheldon, slight flesh wound, thigh: Private Hiram Cooper, abdomen penetrated, serious; Company D, Private Edward Monday Gen. Hale's brigade advanced Caldwell, lung penetrated, serious; Company C. Private Debalt, flesh

wound, back slight. 1st Montana-Company H, Private Reynolds, slight wound in ear; Private with two field guns and two Hotelikiss Charles Eurmels, fiesh wound in leg. guns met the enemy on the hill, a half slight; Company H. Corp. Hayes, miss pinco in which the Nebraskans lost probably dead; Company I. Private one dead and three wounded. Mayersick, lungs penetrated, serious; Company L. Corp. Skinner, slight thigh

First Colorado -Combany R Private Orton Twever, wounded in left eye; Private Charles Morrison, left hand; Combany B. Private Maurice Park-F. Doran, killed, shot in chest; Company L. Corp. William H. Earle, wounded in left cheek and arm; Com-Gen. Ivershine's brigade advanced pany L. Private Charles Carlson, killand took Paranaque, capturing two ed; Company L, Private Charles D. field guns. They met with no opposi- Boyse, flesh wound in left knee; First Lieut, Charles Haughwout, flesh wound in left knee.

1st South Dakota-Company H. Pribeyond Gagalangin, without loss, the vate Horace J. McCrancken, killed; enemy retreating upon Caloocan. The Company I, Private Fred E. Green, killed: Private W. Z. Lewis, killed Private Benjamin Phelps, wounded in MANILA, Feb. 7.—Careful estimates right thigh; Company K, Corp. Eugene .000 dead, 5,500 wounded and 5,000 pany 6, Private Frank G. McLain, wounded in right hip; Company I, Pri-During the fighting the United States vate Hiram Say, wounded in right war ships shelled a train loaded with knee; Company F. Corp. Carl H. Osgood, sprained knee; Private A. Haskell,

nessee infantry, was in the thick of the | 3d Artillery, Battery L. Sergt. Berfight when attacked by apoplexy and nard Sharp, flesh wound, slight; Private Ryan, slight, Private Lundstrams, On Sunday immense crowds of peo- shot through hand, slight; Private ple visited the water front and gath- James Gleason, flesh wound, thigh, the bombardment. There were no Washington, Feb. 7.- Adm. Dewey

street cars or carriages to be seen and cabled the navy depertment Monday as follows: MANILA, Feb. 6.

"Secretary Navy, Washington-In-

cruiser Irene and the liritish cruiser gram, while naval officers believe just engagement.

summarized all of the killed in the Two Filipino commissioners from second bulletin, in addition to the Hollo and four rebel officers were ar- eight mentioned as killed in the first second bulletin contains a list of 46 vious bulletin, a total of 54 killed in Another intensely exciting incident the battle of Saturday night and Sun-

The 14th regulars were in a particu- ers the situation serious, as the Hos-Col. Duboce was compelled to rush past | tion, and moreover, the Baltimore has them with the reserve in order to pre- a large landing force and greater vent the regulars from being cut off, rapid-fire battery. Emphatic conviction is expressed that the insurgents will easily be beaten back.

They Covered Star Rontes From Et Rent to Arapahos and From Bridgeport

El Reno, L. T., Feb. 7 .- Post office inspectors Monday arrested J. E. Robertson and his son Albert Robertson, sub contractors; M. E. Robertson, C. E. Robertson and J. H. and Tom Essecks, stage drivers, on a charge of robbing the mails. They covered star routes from El Reno to Arapahoe, 80 miles west and from Bridgeport to Cloud Chief, 75 miles southwest and supplied more than 100 offices. prisoners are charged numerous robberies that have occurred since October 10, 1898. The officers recovered about \$2,000 worth of merchandise, including 75 silk dress patterns, about 500 silk handkerchiefs, clothing, toys, shoes, gloves, and all manner of mailable

ed in four counties. Bu Lope Grow ng Together. SPRINGFIELD, O., Feb. 7.- The little son of Benjamin Celps drank concentrated lye two years ago and his life was saved after hard work. The lye burned the mouth and as it healed the barely admit a lead pencil and the

articles. The stuff was found conceal-

will be performed to open the lips. The House Passes the Lensus Hill. WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- Mr. Hopkins in the house, has moved the passage o

the two-thirds majority necessary to plication

Vote Was 57 Ayes to 27 Nays

One Vote More Than the Necessary

Two-Thirds Majority.

peace negotiated between the commis-

Some made the mistake of stating that there were three votes to spare.

The vote in detail on the treaty was Foraker, Frye, Gallinger, Gear, crived by the family, including tributes
Gay, Hanna, Hancbrough, Harfrom the war hyestigation Hawley, Jones (Nev.), Ken-Kyle, Lindsay, Lodge, Me-Bride, McEnery, McLaurin, McMillan, Mantle, Mason, Morgan, Nelson, Pen rose, Perkins, Petus, Platt (Ct.), Platt (N. Y.), Pritchard, Quay, Ross, Sewell, Shoup, Simon, Spooner, Stewart, Sullivan, Teller, Thurston, Warren, Well-

ington, Walcott-58. Nays-Bacon, Bate, Berry, Caffery, Chilton, Cockrell, Daniel, Gorman, Hale, Heitfeld, Hoar, Jones (Ark.), Mallory, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Murphy, Pasco, Pettigrew, Rawlins, Roach, Smith, Tillman, Turley, Turner, Vest-27.

Absent and paired-Messrs, Cannot and Wilson for, with Mr. White against and Messrs. Proctor and Wetmore for, with Mr. Turple against.

COL. J. A. SEXTON'S REMAINS

They Arrive in Chicago and Are Taken His Late Home-Funeral Will Take Place Wednesday.

steamed across the bay on Sunday and took up a position near the German patch received Monday a belated teleto the Sexton home, although there Narcissus, off the Mole. She is still the opposite, that it refers to a second was no attempt at a formal demonstration. The funeral services, which WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.-The second have been set for Wednesday, will be bulletin received from Gen. Otis con- arranged at a meeting of grand army tained the list of easualties in the Ma- men which is to be held Tuesday. It nila fight. The general seems to have has been settled, however, that the has not yet been submitted for publi- abandoned the style of report he body will lie in state during Wednescation, and it is impossible, owing to adopted in the first bulletin, and in- day in memorial hall in the public the fact that the regiments are scat- stead of giving a statement of casual- library building, which is the head quarters for grand army posts in Chi-

> The funeral services will be held there and the final interment will be in Graceland cemetery. It has been decided that the Lody will be cremated.

which will be under the auspices of soffer for no lack of money, for the the grand army will be one of the larg- men are promptly paid. est affairs of its kind ever seen in this city.

This Action Was Impelled by a Disposition of the Members to Disregard the Policy of Gov. Gen. Henry.

SAX JUAN, P. R., Feb. 7.-Gen. Henry has removed the insular cabinet. The members of the cabinet tendered Saturday, but their resignations were is thought to indicate that he consid- held in abevance. The heads of the new departments will confine their larly tight place near Singalon, and ton's machinery is not in good condi- duties to their departments and the general will preside and give instructions directly to the heads of these departments.

Heads of the new departments who object to the introduction of American hausted. Wood that had been piled up methods and to investigation of their departments will be relieved and the vacancies filled by the appointment of the most competent persons, irrespective of party affiliations.

Gen. Henry's action in removing the insular cabinet was impelled by the disposition of the members to disregard him and by their objection to the temporary substitution of American officers in the department of public instruction and department of public works, both of which departments be long to the interior department in accordance with the general's best judgment as to the policy to be followed.

Andmore. I. T., Feb. 7 .- William Cameron, one of the wealthiest lumber merchants in the south, with head quarters here, died suddenly Monday while traveling through Alabama on a train.

An Official Dental.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 7 .- An official denia has been received from this govern ment of the Congo state of the report that the Belgian post at Rojaf on the Nile, between Fashoda and Uganada, had been captured by the dervishes.

Gets Life Imprisonment. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 7.-The trial of Frank Crockett, charged with murdering Jake Shuwafl, the Hebrew peddler, terminated at 6:30 p. m. Monday at Welch, W. Va., jury finding : verdict of murder in the first degree and fixing penalty at life imprisonment.

Used Coal Oil to St rt a Fire. TOLEDO, O., Feb. 7 .- Mes. R. W. Juous, of Holgate, used coal oil to start fire. The woman is so badly burned about the head, face and breast that

the can not live.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The official THE PEACE TREATY RATIFIED COL. AS. A. SEXTON DEAD. FIFTY-RIFTH CONGRESS. Scoond Besele Republic Expired at 8:40

orning in Washington. WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- The treaty of ton, Feb. 6.-Col. James A maader-in-chief of the Grand trmy of the Republic and a member of the war investigating comioners of the United States and Spain at Paris was Monday ratified by the United States senate, the vote being 57 mission, died at 8:40 o'clock Sunday morning at Garfield hospital from comresulting primarily from an

secure senatorial concurrence in a treaty document.

The vote was taken in executive session and until the injunction of the content of the c secrecy was removed, the result was the brea. His system falled to respond supposed to be private; but the vice to media treatment and for several president had no more than announced weeks brecovery was hardly expected. the figures before senators rushed out of every door leading from the senate aboard he 7:20 train on the Pennaylchamber declaring that the treaty had vanis, aliroad and will be taken to

than was necessary, the ballot resulting 57 ayes to 27 mays. No vote has been taken in the senate since that on the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman law that has been followed with as close interest as was the vote of Monday.

The state of the treaty was the large of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations, Mr. Sollivan (Miss) had entered a charge of the millitary funeral relations. The vote in detail on the treaty was arrangements. Commander Arthur as follows: Yeas-Aldrich, Allen, Al- Hendricks, of the department of the lison, Baker, Burrows, Butler, Carter, Chandler, Clark, Clay, Cullom, Davis, Special order commemorative of Col. Deboe, Elkins, Fairbanks, Faulkner, Sexton, Many figure tributes were respected to the control of the department of the foreign relations committee, had announced that he was willing that a vote should be taken he was willing that a vote should be taken before the could not be taken

> from the war ivestigating commission and President McKinley, who sent a beautiful wreath. CINCINNATI, Heb. 6 .- Capt. W. C. ohnson, senior vice commander-inchief of the G. A R., is the head of the Johnson Bros. fardware Co., of this sity. Under the constitution he besomes the acting commander-in-chief upon the death of his superior, and continues as the seting commander-inchief until the vacancy is filled.

THE BIG CANAL AT PANAMA

Rapid Rate-The Culebra Cut Will He Completed in Nine Months.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 .- Reports of ex-

seen anything like the activity visible with about, locomotives, each of which hauls;

"At the rate at which they are now exeavating, the great cut will be completed within nine months. My impression is that the management, having finished this cut, will declare that they have solved the greatest problem of the canal and that additional funds are all that is needed to carry the whole work to completion. Water is actually in 19 miles of the canal on the Atlantic side and seven on the Pacific

"Up to the present about \$137,000,000 in American gold has been spent and I believe the canal can be finished for From present indications the funeral \$125,600,000. The company appears to

"The concession given by Colombia expired last October, but I am inform-INSULAR CABINET REMOVED ed that arrangements have been made for its extension for another period of six years. My impression is that it will require about ten years more work before the canal is ready to receive ships."

MINING CAMP SNOW BOUND.

Situation is Critical in the Extreme and Starration Stares the Inhab tasts of Independence, Cot, in the Face.

ASPEN, Col., Feb. 6 .- The situation at the mining camp of Independence, 18 miles from here, is critical in the extreme. Starvation stares the inhabitants of the town in the face. Provision and fuel supplies are nearly exfor winter use lies buried under many feet of snow and can not be reached. The mines there, in all probability. close down until spring. Roads leading to this place, the only source of supply for Independence, mpassable and the only method of arneying between the two places is snow shoes, an exceedingly dangermethod of travel. The storm is raging flercely at Independence, ing the outlook more gloomy.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 6 - A special from orfolk, Va., says: "The United States usport Solace, which was to have ed for Manila Sunday at noon, did get away from Hampton Roads. at why she was held is not definitely own, but it is believed by naval offiers that the developments in the Philpines since her original orders were ssued have prompted the pavy department to hold the ship here until addiional supplies are received for transportation to Manila."

Gen. Wade's New Command. WASHINGTON, Feb 6. - Maj. Gen. mes F. Wade, U. S. V., has been di cted to proceed to St. Paul, Minn. d take command of the department Dakota, relieving Brig. Gen. John Bacon, ordered to his regiment in

An Esgie Owk FINDLAY, O., Feb. 6 .- W. A. Lear has resented to the Zoological Society of nelupati an eagle owl which he ha ward for some time. The owir wings measure lear feet and ten melica. Stabbing him is the side.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—SENATE—During the entire morning hour Tuesday the senate had under discussion the policy of this country to be pursued in the Philippine islands. Mr. Berry (Apr.), in a speech upon the resolution offered of Mr. Vest discussed the policy of expansion without a reference to the constitutional point involved in the Vest resolution. An attempt by Mr. Bacon (on.) to secure a vote upon his resolution which in brief declares that the United States government will not make war upon a peoplesceking for their freedom precipitated a lively debate which was participated in by Mr. Platt (Ct.) and Mr. Teller (Co.). No action on the resolution was taken.

and Mr. Teller (Co.).

lution was taken.

House—The bill to reorganize and increase
the standing army to about 100,001 men, but
giving the president authority to reduce the
size of infantry companies and cavalry troop
to 60 men cach, thus a fixing weeks be recovery was hardly expected.
Sunday night the body was put aboard the 7:20 train on the Pennsylvania, nilroad and will be taken to construct the form of functions o

grand arm acted as pall bearers both There was in fact only one vote more than was necessary, the ballot resulting 57 ayes to 27 mays. No vote has motion to substitute his resolution for those of Mr. Bacon, while Mr. Davis, chairman of clock-the hour fixed by unanimous confor the senate to go into executive session.

House—The house entered upon the consideration of the river and harbor bill Wednesday and made rapid progress. Fifty of the 88 p. ges
of the bill had been completed when the house
adjourned. The bill appropriates directly
about \$12,500,000, and authorizes contracts to
the extent of \$18,000,000 additional. The general debate was unusually brief. Its feature was a speech in opposition to the bill by Mr. Hepburn, of lowa, who has fought every river and harbor bill for the last six years.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—SENATE—A notable speech was made in the senate Thursday by Mr. Spooner (Wis.). He took for his text the anti-expansion resolution offered by Mr. Ves-but did not confine himself closely to that proposed declaration of policy. He discussed the question of expansion in all of its phases and urged the ratification of the peace treaty as the best means of bringing the burning question home to the people themselves. At the con-clusion of his speech he received the warm congratulations of many of his colleagues, notable among whom was Mr. Tillman (S. C.) with whom he had had a sharp personal tilt in the course of his argument.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Reports of extensive work on the Panama canai are brought by Charles M. Dobson, an English civil engineer, who has just arrived here from Colon. Mr. Dobson taid:

"I have visited the canal on several occasions since 1891, but I have never seen anything like the activity visits."

the Carolines, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, though she will not consider any hids from the United States, the french are evidently visible at present. The many of them, with the result that surgents have attacked Manila. The Manile Old of the French are evidently visible at present. The many of them was maintained to receiving him. He was many of them, with the result that the many of them was maintained. The leaves and arrested was an interest in excellent very native and arrested was for loads of the fresh the murder of Miss Cloyd, at London; the murder of Miss Cloyd, WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—SENATE-For more onsir aniagorized the ratification of the treaty holding that by such action the Filipinos would be admitted to the union as citizens and train of from 10 to 15 ment we did not want them. Mr. Daniel made

an exhaustive argument in which he covered all the points in controversy. Horse—Most of the time of the house during the three hours session Friday was consumed in fillustering against relief bills on the pri-vate calendar. The fillbuster was finally successful and the house adjourned without taking up the bill. The conference report on the dip-lomatic appropriation bill was adopted. WASHINGTON, Feb. 5. SENATE-A numb ill, the most important of which are the jo lowing: Mr Carter, appropriating \$5,000.0 of to the construction of storage reservoirs and irri-gation canals in the arid land states. Mr. Cafment of the southwest pass of the Mississippi river so as to make ship canal 35 feet in depth. Mr. Turuer, aprropriating \$50,000 for dredging Saimon Bay and improving the water-way connecting Puget Sound at Saimon Bay with Lakes Union and Washington, so as to

make it available as a ship canal. Mr. Perkins make it available as a ship canal. Mr. Perkins, appropriating \$315,000 for the improvement of the harbor at Wilmington, Cal. and also one authorizing the appointment of a commission to locate a naval coaling station on the California coast, south of San Francisco.

House—The house committee on invalid pensions reported favorably the senate bill pensioning tien. John M Pulmer, of Illinois, the amount being reduced from \$100 to \$50. WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—SEVATE-The treaty of peace negotiated between the commission-ers of the United States and Spain at Paris was Monday ratified by the United States sen resary to secure senatorial concurrence in a treaty document. After the ratification of the reary, the senate, in open session, took up a blut resolution offered by Mr. McEnery rdem, c). declaring a policy for the Pullip-ines, and an effort was made to adopt it, but the detate occupied so much time that the resolution went over until Tuesday; (Mr. Hon-

with the consent of the people thereof A motion to lay on the table prevailed, 45 to Mr. Hoar then moved to amend the reso ition by inserting the words "or to f House-Monday was suspension day in the house and quite a number of bills were passed, several of them of importance. The census ill prepared by the house committee went ugh by a vote of 147 to 42. The bill differs in several essential features from the senate bill. Mr. Grow (rep. Pa.) offered a resolu-tion for a constitutional amendment providing shat peace treaties shall be ratified by a ma-jority of the senate. He said that it was very singular that a majority of the two houses could make war, while two-thirds of the senate were required to make peace.

Wheeler To Join Regular Army. WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. - Representative Stallings, of Alabama, has introduced w slides are so frequent between spen and Independence that it is al. in the house a bill to authorize the or in this city, died Thursday morning ost suicidal to venture on the route president to appoint Gen. Wheeler a major general in the regular army.

Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill. WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- The sundry ivil appropriation bill completed Monday noon by the house committee on

carry out the obligations of the treaty The horse will be campaigned in the between the United States and Spain." Outside of this the bill appropriates \$42,927,301. Will Erret an Elegaet Building. Tot.EDO, O., Feb. 7 .- The Young

will erect an elegant five-story build-

ing. The estimated cost is \$125,000. Church to Bi come a Salson. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 7. - The abaudoned First German Methodist church has been purchased by Capt. Pabst, the brewer, and will be fitted up as a saloon. The altar is to be converted into a par and the auditorium into a banquet hall. All the attractive features of the church are to be re-

tained. secondly Stab and HENDERSON, Ky., Feb. 7 .- Roy Laght-

ligion, and said that he was ready to continually abused by people out of WASHINGTON. Feb. 2-SENATE-For a few

quite 17 years old.

was unable to resist him further. SAWED THE JAIL BARS. An Escape of Alleged Murderers Was Narrowly Averted at Stanford, Ky .-Jailer Given the Tip.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 2.-A live wire n the scenery room of the Buckingham theater set fire to the building at a loss of \$70,000. The theater proper building suffered considerably. Three alarms brought the entire department to the fire, which was controlled after an hour's work, there being at one ease is not contagious. time great danger of a spread. Fire Captain Ed Finck was struck on the head by falling debris and badly hurt. Fred Rider's Night Owl company. which was playing at the theater, lost \$3,000 in costumes and scenery.

Judge Unthank Is Dead.

PINEVILLE, Ky., Feb. 4 .- Judge John M. Unthank died at his home at this the state reformatory. place Friday morning after several days' illness. He was one of the most prominent lawyers in this section, and at the time of his death represented of appeals Friday reversed the decision various land corporations in this sec- of the Kenton circuit court in the case tion. He was a noted politician, being of M. H. Tate and others against the the only democrat that ever represented this district in the legislature. He was about 60 years old, and widely

Chair Factory Resumss.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 3.-The opera ion of the state penitentiary chair facory was resumed Wednesday morning fter being idle for a month, during which time an inventory of stock was taken. Under the contract made by the new commissioners this will not be necessary, as the contractors will themselves furnish all the material, the

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 .- The following fourth-class postmasters were appointed Wednesday: Crider, Caldwell county, T. H. Mott; Lusby, Owen county, J. O. Arnold; Nebo, Hopkins county, James S. Durham: Pomp, Morgan

Aged Merchant Tailor Dead. RICHMOND, Ky., Feb. 4.-Gerhard Schafhausen, the oldest merchant tail-

a pative of Germany. Noted Pager Sold. PARIS, Ky., Feb. 5.-Boston parties have purchased of Col. James E. Clay, of Paris, his noted pacer. Joe Bailey

cast.

Sunted to Church. LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 7 .- The princioal thoroughfares Sunday being neavily laden with sleet, were convert-Men's Christian association of this city ed into skating grounds. Many young men and ladies skated to and from her clothing catching fire from an open church Sunday morning.

> BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Feb. 4.- The Third congressional committee met here Thursday, and Charles M. Lewis resigned as state central committeeman. A. G. Rhea, of Russellville, was Resolution To Damies a Councilman.

Lewis Besigns.

hanged at Mayfield, February 23. He

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Feb. 7.-A strange disease has made its appearance at Morgantown, Butler county, o'clock Thursday morning and caused 15 miles from here. It is something like spinal meningitis. Death results was destroyed and the rest of the in 10 to 15 hours. The town has 500 inhabitants. Business houses are closed. Fifty passengers came here by boat Monday. Physicians say the dis-

Quarantine Against Ex-Prisoners.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 7 .- The city ouncil of Frankfort passed an ordinance Monday night quarantining against all persons who have been confined in the Louisville jail since January 1. This is intended to prevent any smallpox case from reaching

Supplemental Tax I leg d.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 5 .- The court Erlanger board of school trustees. The collection of a supplemental tax is held illegal, and a perpetual injunction and restraining order is granted.

Describe Opinions on the Go bil L. w.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 6.-Judge

Guffy, republican, filed a strong dis-

senting opinion in the court of appeals

Saturday in the Goebel election law

ease decided several weeks ago. Judge Durrell, republican, will also file au opinion dissenting.

Husband and Wife tusane. PADUCAH, Ky., Feb. 6.-Bud Bracken and wife, respected residents of this county, were declared insane in court, Their hallucinations are that their house was haunted. They fastened the doors and windows of their house with barbed wires.

Pardon Refused Brown. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb.7.-Bob Brown, the murderer from Barren county, who shot his sister-in-law, father-in-law, mother-in-law, and shot at several others, was refused a pardon or commutation of his death sentence by Gov. Bradley Monday.

An Epidem e ef Measles. LEITCHFIELD, Ky., Feb. 4.-Meases! are epidemic here, there teing over 50 cases reported.

Annual Sale of Tretting Stoe's. LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 7.-Woodard and Shanklins great annual sale of trotting stock opens here Monday. City is full of horse men and buyers and good prices are expected. Many hand-

some consignments of stock are to be disposed of. Child Burned to Death. HARBODSBURG, Ky., Feb. 3.-The 3year-old daughter of Mr. Ad. Coleman, of this city, was burned to death by

grate. Must Hang. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 3.-Gov. Bradley finally refused to interfere Wednesday with the death sentence of William Miller, of Oldham county, who is to be hanged on Friday of this week for criminal assault.

Co deat Weather bire 1875 Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 3.-The

ion was introduced in the lower board government thermometer here regisof the general council Thursday night | tered 13 degrees below zero. It is the coldest weather experienced in this section since 1875. Fruit is greatly in-

************************************ STATE NEWS ITEMS.

WAS READY TO DIE. -Widiam Muller Hittard at Lagrange, Ky., Oldham County in 52 Years.

La Grange, Ky., Feb. 4.-William Miller, the colored rapist, was hanged Bradley doesn't want to be governor here at 7:14 o'clock Friday. This is the again. In an interview he said: "It first legal hanging in Oldham county is the most thankless position a man in 52 years. The execution took place can occupy. I wouldn't have another in the jail yard, and only about 50 per- term under the prevailing conditions ons witnessed it. Miller professed re- as a gracious gift. In addition to being

who witnessed the execution was Prof. sonable favors, and ever and anon is he Watkins, of the colored high school of beseeched by trusts and corporations Louisville, who was Miller's teacher in for privileges which would enable the public schools. Miller was not them to more strongly grasp in their tentacles the suffering populace. Ex-

The crime for which Miller was Gov. John Young Brown was in my hanged was committed about 2 o'clock office at Frankfort, and I told him I on the afternoon of September I. Mrs. had heard that he was again aspiring Gertrude Leet, wife of Frank Leet, a to the gubernatorial chair, and that farmer, residing four miles west of La- for the life of me I could not see what Grange, had visited her grandmother, he desired in the office. 'Just this,' he Mrs. George Head, near Peru station. said, 'There are a lot of soreheads who She left on horseback for home about | don't want to see me governor again, 2 o'clock, and when a short dis- and I would like to be governor for tance from her grandmother's was just one week to spite them." assaulted. Miller intercepted her in a clump of bushes, and called to her to stop. She turned her horse so as to face him. He put his hand behind him as intending to draw a pistol. and demanded her to dismount. She screamed and the Negro threatened to blow out her brains if she made another outery. He then pulled her from her horse and choked her until she

STANFORD. Ky., Feb. 4.-A jail delivis proving a queer blessing to Bob ry was narrowly averted here. John Blanks, colored, under sentence to be Haley, who was acquitted of robbery after an incarceration of a few weeks, is now at the eruptive hospital with told the jailer that there were saws the disease, and the authorities say he and tools in the jail. Investigation will be in such poor condition on the showed several bars sawed almost in date set that it would be very bad two, and the cracks filled with chewing form to hang him. Mayfield will also gum. As E. K. Wilson, charged with probably object to receiving him. He the murder of Miss Cloyd, at London: will doubtless be respited. Blanks

known throughout the state.

state only furnishing the laborers.

county, Sherman Lewis; Rhea, Calloway county, C. A. Haskell; Sulphur Lick, Mouroe county, Mary B. Corder.

after a long illness, aged 71. He was

appropriations carries \$20,000,000 "To (2:11%). The price paid was private.

elected to succeed Mr. Lewis. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 4 .- A resoluto dismiss Councilman Charles Cimiotti, foot seriously wounded Will Griscoe by who is charged with solleiting bribes.

The matter was passed.